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SUBJECT: DETERMINING AGENCY JURISDICTION OF BLACK LUNG
CLAIMS

REF: STATE 136607

1. REFTEL HAS GENERATED QUESTIONS REGARDING WHICH BLACK
LUNG CLAIMS SHOULD BE SENT TO THE SOCIAL SECURITY ADMIN-
ISTRATION INSTEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR. THIS
MESSAGE REPLACES STATE 136607.

2. THE CRITERIA USED IN DETERMINING AGENCY JURISDICTION OF
BLACK LUNG CLAIMS IS AS FOLLOWS: (A) SSA SHOULD BE FOR-
WARDED ONLY THE INQUIRIES OR CLAIMS WHICH MEET THE
FOLLOWING CONDITIONS: (1) THE CLAIM OR INQUIRY IS BEING
FILED BY OR ON BEHALF OF THE SURVIVOR OF A MINER WHO WAS
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PREVIOUSLY AWARDED BLACK LUNG BENEFITS BASED ON AN
APPLICATION FILED BEFORE JULY 1, 1973 (IF THE MINER'S
CHECKS BEFORE HIS DEATH APPEARED ON THE SSA CHECK LISTINGS,
THIS CONDITION WOULD BE MET), AND (2) THE CLAIM OR CLAIMS
INQUIRY WAS RECEIVED AT THE POST WITHIN 6 MONTHS OF THE
DATE OF THE MINER'S DEATH (OR THE MINER'S BLACK LUNG
BENEFIT WAS AUGMENTED ON BEHALF OF A WIFE OR CHILD(REN) OR

THE CLAIM WAS RECEIVED WITHIN 6 MONTHS OF THE DEATH OF THE MINER'S WIDOW WHO IS ENTITLED TO BLACK LUNG BENEFITS. CLAIMS OR INQUIRIES WHICH MEET BOTH OF THE ABOVE CONDITIONS SHOULD BE FORWARDED TO THE SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION, DIVISION OF INTERNATIONAL OPERATIONS, P.O. BOX 1756, BALTIMORE, MARYLAND 21203. (B) ALL OTHER CLAIMS AND INQUIRIES ABOUT BLACK LUNG BENEFITS SHOULD BE FORWARDED TO THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS ADMINISTRATION, DIVISION OF COAL MAINE WORKERS COMPENSATION, WASHINGTON, D.C. 20210. CHRISTOPHER

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